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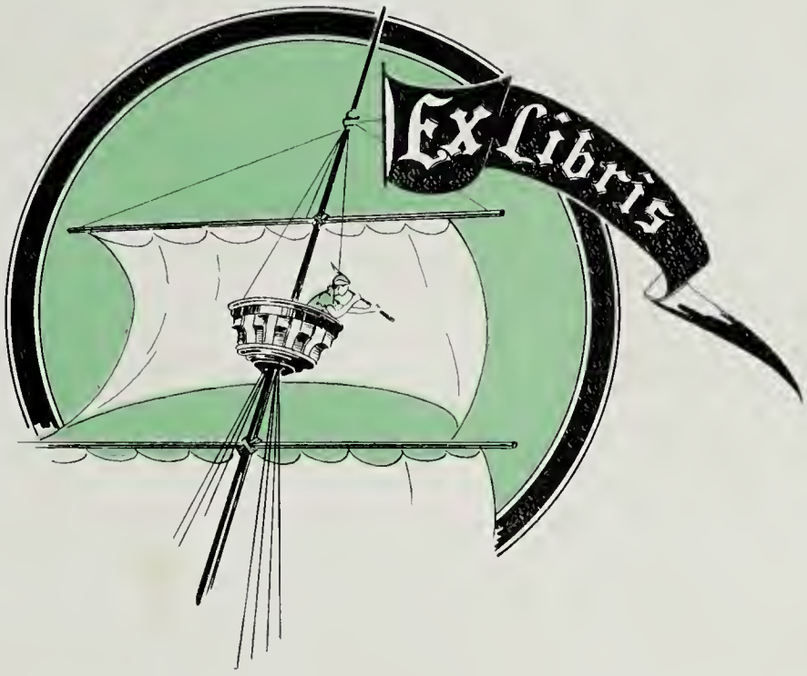
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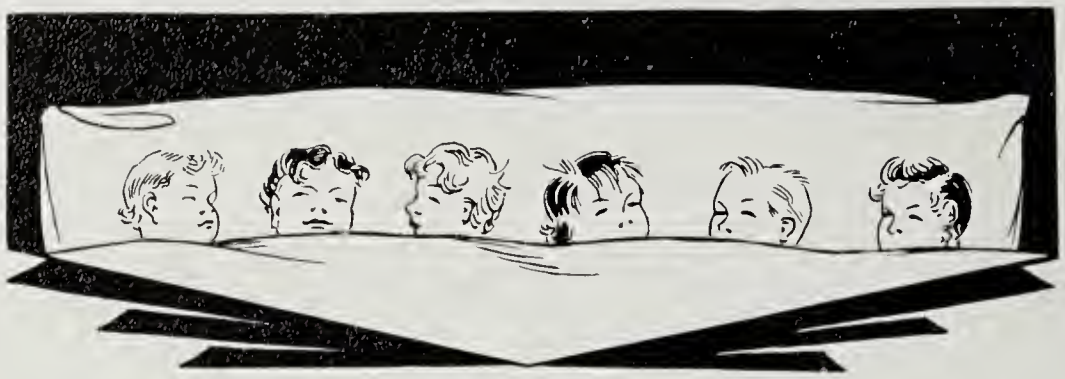

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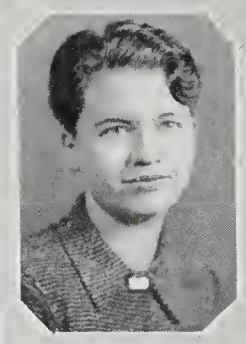

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Reflective thinking; a secluded corner on the roof.

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Uniform with brass buttons; tinkle of sleigh bells.

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English tweed; ocean spray on rosy cheeks.

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A child's delight in life; college colors against a fur jacket.

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Night frolics; tramping through autumn woods.

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Basket-ball Squad, '34; Bats.

Happy laughter; roller skates.

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Dramatic Club, '34; Tigers.

Keepsakes for memory; college pennants.

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A deep forgotten cave; winter sunrise.

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Heart of gold; "California here I come."

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Bats.

Midnight oil; shadow of a mountain top.

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The flight of a swallow at evening; a calm sea.

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Mock orange along a garden wall; a dusty antique shop.

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Wind and falling of yellow leaves; song of the lark.

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"She's an all-American girl"; organ preludes.

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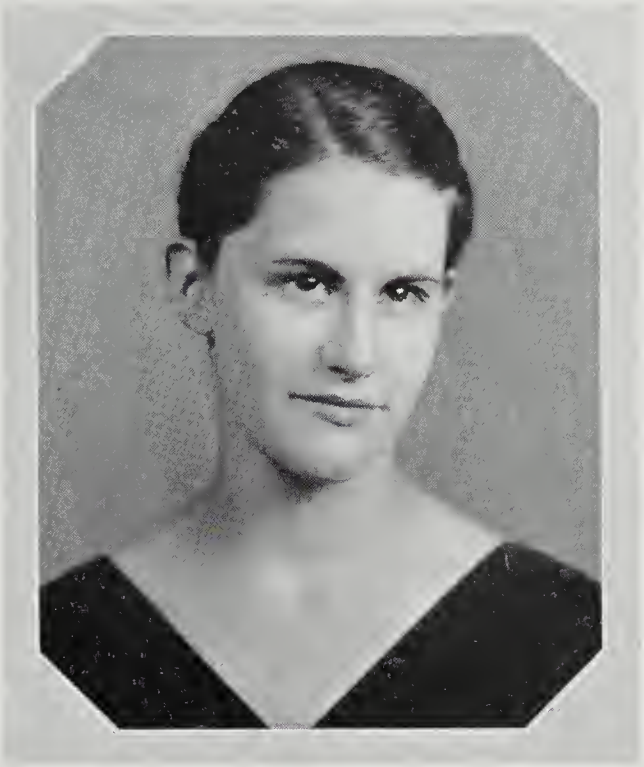
Firelit shadows in a colonial drawing room; books of verse.



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FINE ARTS

Σ I X; Librarian Glee Club, '34; Bats.

Fairy bells tinkling far away; soft sounds.

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FINE ARTS

Glee Club, '33, '34; Bats.

Yo-yo quilts; morning dew on marigolds.

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Home Economics

P. K. Club, '33, '34; Glee Club, '33, '34; Dramatic Club, '33; Home Economics Club, '33, '34.

Home-made sea foam; a brass knocker.

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Home Economics

Home Economics Club, '33, '34; Tigers.

Blue grapes on a silver platter; ribboned boudoir pillows.

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HOME ECONOMICS

P. K. Club, '33, '34; Home Economics Club, '33, '34; Dramatic Club, '33; Tigers.

A shrug of a shoulder; talking hands.

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The sighing of many trees; shadows at night.

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Dimples; a white bunny with pink ears.

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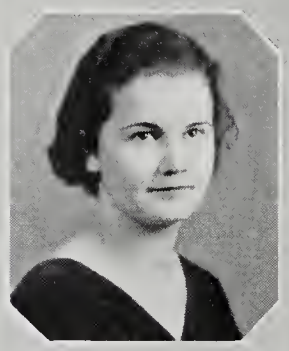

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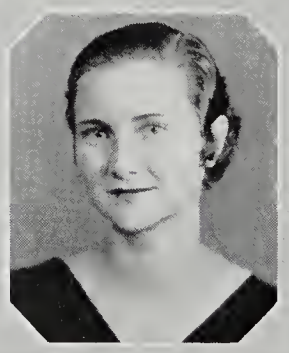

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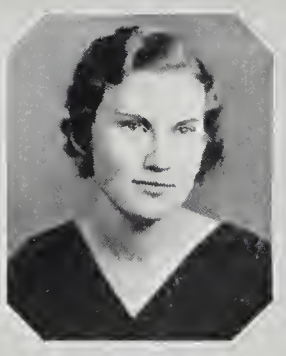

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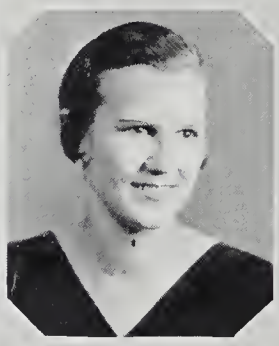

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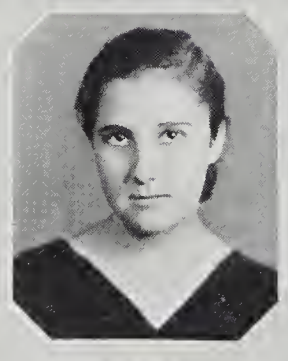

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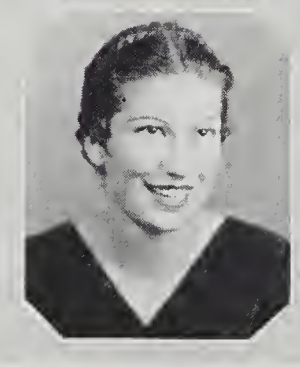

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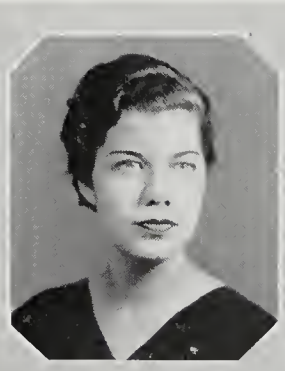

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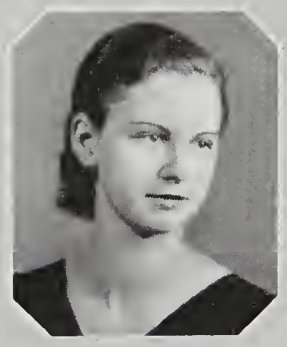

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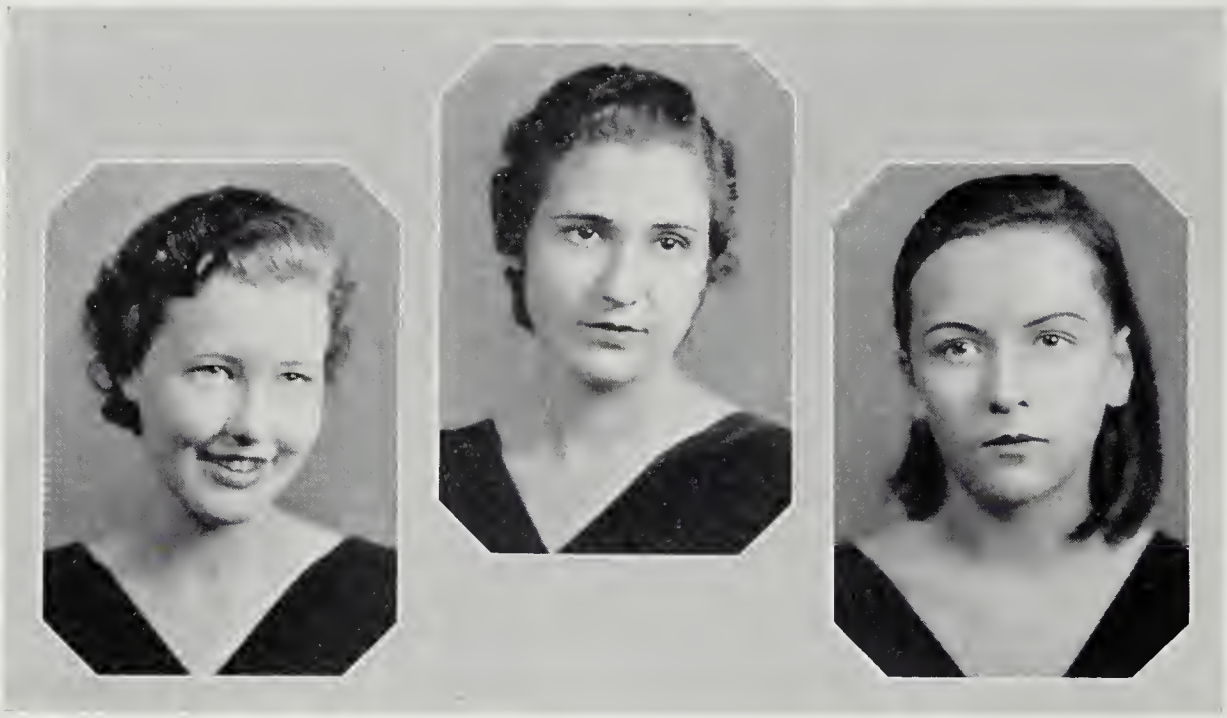

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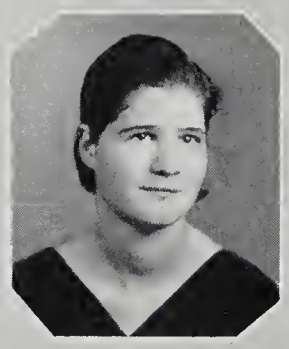

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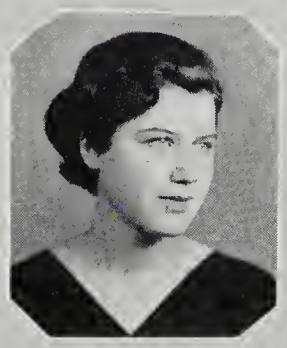

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Seeking friends that make us nobler,
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Seeking courage, faith and wisdom,
And the strength to triumph wrong,
Hear, oh, hear us, loving mother,
As we lift to thee our song.

CHORUS

Guide, oh guide us, mother dear,
May we ever feel thee near,
May thy daughters live and love
And grow forever, mother dear,
Oh—Oh Blackstone, here's to thee,
Here's to truth that makes us free,
Here's to fame and praise and honor,
And a student's love for thee.

II.

Hail—oh Blackstone, Alma Mater,
We with grateful hearts do sing,
For we called and thou didst answer,
Did thy treasures to us bring,
Did unfold to us the mysteries,
Both of books and friendships true,
Now thy daughters answer gladly,
Here's our love, Blackstone, to you.

III.

Oh—Oh Blackstone, Alma Mater,
As we sing our parting lay,
Life's work calls, we dare not linger,
Though with thee, we fain would stay.
Parting comes, but we'll remember
These our happy college days,
And be true to thee, dear mother,
Guide us with thy love, we pray.

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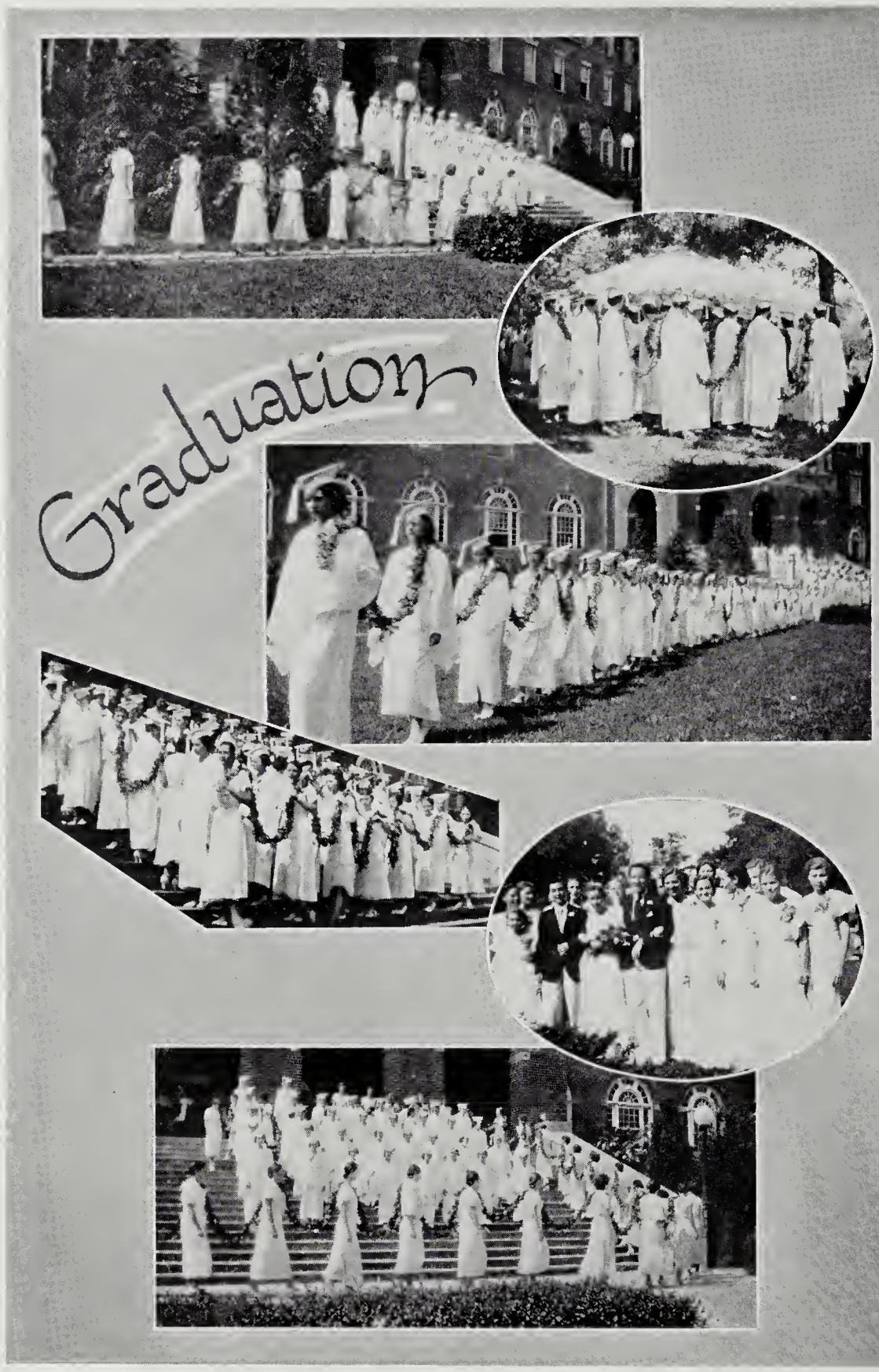
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BOOK VII HUMOR

Jokes

Bellows: What is it that man likes most about us old-fashioned girls?
Martin: The fact that you're gradually disappearing.

* * *

Stump: "Honey, I'll love you 'till the cows come home."
Yama: "Oh yeah? Well, excuse me for awhile, will you?"
Stump: "Why, where are you going?"
Yama: "To shoot the cows."

* * *

Booker: Let's get some girls and go out to dinner.
Compton: All right. Who's on a diet?

* * *

Witt: He shattered all my girlhood dreams.
Chapman: Who was the brute?
Witt: The man who invented the alarm clock.

* * *

Franklin: I saw a dog that could do a somersault.
Holsinger: That's nothing. I saw a horse turn cartwheels.

* * *

Lipscomb: Haven't I beautiful lips, to say the least?
Rickey: Yes, but you use them to say the most, my dear.

* * *

Holt: You don't know the course I'm interested in at college.
Paxton: Oh yes I do. The course of true love.

Roberts: I feel like an aeroplane.
Parker: How's that?
Roberts: No good on earth.

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Schlegel: Yes, I know fish is a brain food, but I don't care for fish. Isn't there some other brain food?
Campbell: Well, there's noodle soup.

* * *

Ballard: Does the water always come through the theater roof like that?
Jordan: No, girlie, only when it rains.

* * *

Gates: Say, what's the idea of wearing my rain-coat?
I. Woolwine: You wouldn't want your new suit to get wet, would you?

* * *

Stone: Who invented the hole in the doughnut?
Sutton: Oh, some fresh air fiend, I suppose.

* * *

We could tell you more jokes, but what's the use? You would only laugh!

LASTING LINES

Early: Do you think he's cute?
Franklin: Hi there, Pal.
McCraw: It's too cute for words.
Peers: To be sure.
Haviland: Now sto-op!
Taylor: Has that joke a point?
Bailey: Hello-o gu-urls.
Thorpe: I think he likes me.
Charlton: Don't forget to call me at seven-thirty.
B. Woolwine: That's swell!
Draper: Has the mail been called yet?

MEMORABLE MOMENTS

September 21—Jett displays her window curtains.

October 14—Rat Week—Just realizing the talent that's among us.

October 29—Mail from V. P. I. greatly increasing—Schlegel added to the mailing list.

November 30—Elaborate banquet in the dining hall—Several males present.

December 18—Dieting and what-not. Trying to be in shape again to greet the ole home town.

January 6—Vacation over—Each girl has greatly added to her list of admirers.

February 13—W. C. T. U. lecturer at chapel almost forgets her pocketbook!

March 22—In spite of the snow the Jacketeers and Cleopatra venture down to entertain us.

April 8—Annual goes to press! Staff goes to bed!

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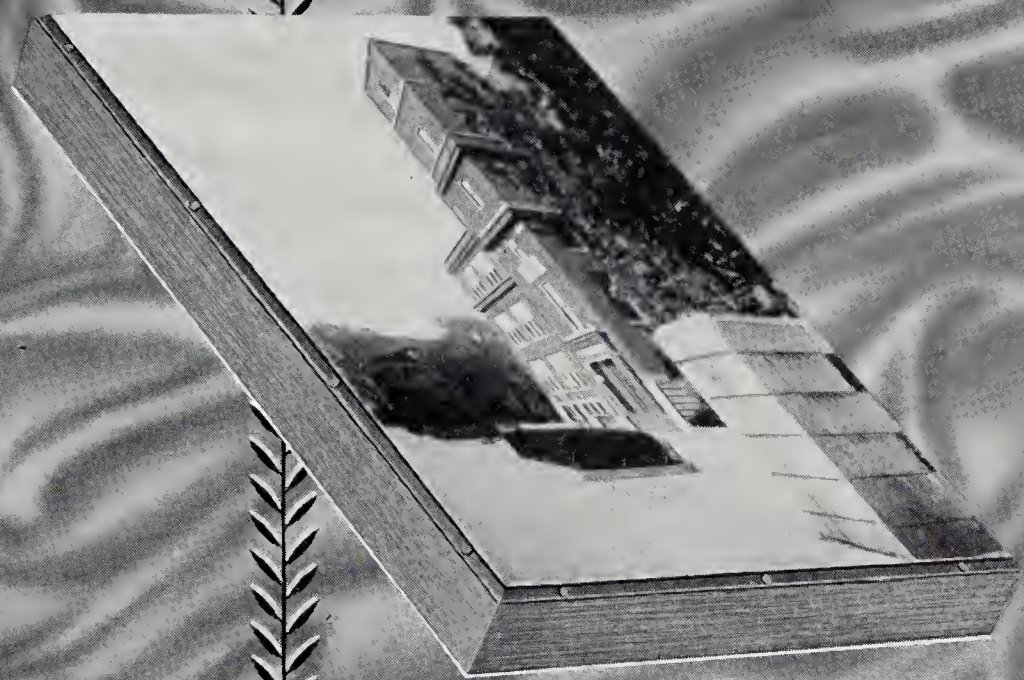

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